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INDICATOR TOOL FOR USE WITH AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed December 8, 2010. With this Response, please amend the claims as follows: